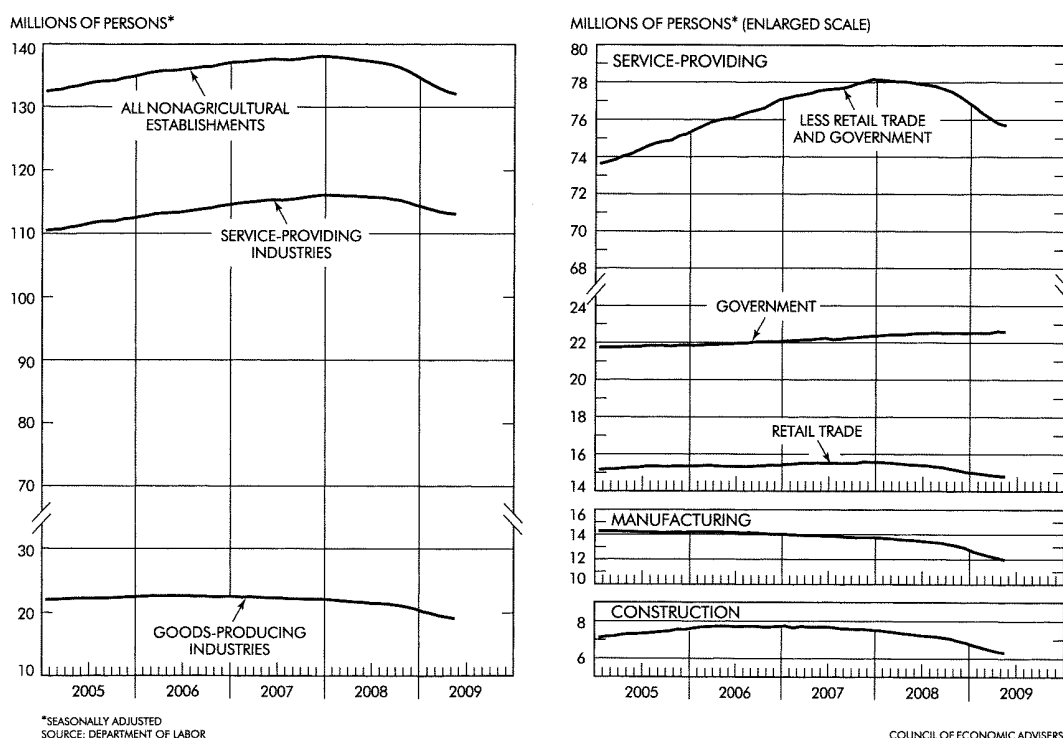


# NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

Total nonagricultural employment as measured by the payroll survey fell by 345,000 in May.



[Thousands of wage and salary workers; <sup>1</sup> monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Period	Total nonagri-cultural employment	Goods-producing industries			Service-providing industries										
		Total <sup>2</sup>	Con-struc-tion	Manu-fac-turing	Total	Trade, transpor-tation, and utilities		In-for-ma-tion	Finan-cial activities	Profes-sional and busi-ness services	Educa-tion and health services	Leisure and hospi-tality	Other serv-ices	Government	
						Total <sup>3</sup>	Retail trade							Total	Federal
1999 .....	128,993	24,465	6,545	17,322	104,528	25,771	14,970	3,419	7,648	15,957	14,798	11,543	5,087	20,307	2,769
2000 .....	131,785	24,649	6,787	17,263	107,136	26,225	15,280	3,630	7,687	16,666	15,109	11,862	5,168	20,790	2,865
2001 .....	131,826	23,873	6,826	16,441	107,952	25,983	15,239	3,629	7,808	16,476	15,645	12,036	5,258	21,118	2,764
2002 .....	130,341	22,557	6,716	15,259	107,784	25,497	15,025	3,395	7,847	15,976	16,199	11,986	5,372	21,513	2,766
2003 .....	129,999	21,816	6,735	14,510	108,183	25,287	14,917	3,188	7,977	15,987	16,588	12,173	5,401	21,583	2,761
2004 .....	131,435	21,882	6,976	14,315	109,553	25,533	15,058	3,118	8,031	16,394	16,953	12,493	5,409	21,621	2,730
2005 .....	133,703	22,190	7,336	14,226	111,513	25,959	15,280	3,061	8,153	16,954	17,372	12,816	5,395	21,804	2,732
2006 .....	136,086	22,531	7,691	14,155	113,556	26,276	15,353	3,038	8,328	17,566	17,826	13,110	5,438	21,974	2,732
2007 .....	137,598	22,233	7,630	13,879	115,366	26,630	15,520	3,032	8,301	17,942	18,322	13,427	5,494	22,218	2,734
2008 .....	137,066	21,419	7,215	13,431	115,646	26,385	15,356	2,997	8,146	17,778	18,855	13,459	5,528	22,500	2,764
2008: May .....	137,517	21,612	7,293	13,556	115,905	26,503	15,420	3,013	8,179	17,887	18,798	13,495	5,542	22,488	2,763
June .....	137,356	21,507	7,232	13,505	115,849	26,467	15,404	3,006	8,162	17,824	18,843	13,490	5,535	22,522	2,765
July .....	137,228	21,432	7,201	13,454	115,796	26,425	15,380	2,995	8,154	17,788	18,888	13,473	5,536	22,537	2,776
Aug .....	137,053	21,351	7,177	13,387	115,702	26,354	15,335	2,990	8,141	17,727	18,950	13,454	5,530	22,556	2,768
Sept .....	136,732	21,247	7,131	13,322	115,485	26,257	15,278	2,986	8,115	17,675	18,957	13,428	5,532	22,535	2,771
Oct .....	136,352	21,063	7,066	13,203	115,289	26,157	15,217	2,982	8,088	17,612	18,981	13,395	5,535	22,539	2,775
Nov .....	135,755	20,814	6,939	13,082	114,941	26,005	15,126	2,965	8,043	17,488	19,044	13,344	5,509	22,543	2,783
Dec .....	135,074	20,532	6,841	12,902	114,542	25,843	15,038	2,940	8,010	17,356	19,080	13,304	5,477	22,532	2,778
2009: Jan .....	134,333	20,127	6,706	12,640	114,206	25,735	14,992	2,924	7,954	17,205	19,119	13,268	5,461	22,540	2,793
Feb .....	133,652	19,832	6,593	12,468	113,820	25,605	14,934	2,918	7,898	17,029	19,138	13,236	5,449	22,547	2,796
Mar <sup>r</sup> .....	133,000	19,520	6,470	12,296	113,480	25,479	14,872	2,905	7,857	16,910	19,158	13,202	5,426	22,543	2,808
Apr <sup>r</sup> .....	132,496	19,246	6,362	12,142	113,250	25,364	14,836	2,885	7,812	16,799	19,171	13,164	5,420	22,635	2,894
May <sup>P</sup> .....	132,151	19,021	6,303	11,986	113,130	25,310	14,818	2,861	7,782	16,748	19,215	13,167	5,419	22,628	2,879

<sup>1</sup> Data from the establishment survey. Includes all full- and part-time wage and salary workers in nonagricultural establishments who received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Excludes proprietors, self-employed persons, unpaid family workers, and private household workers. Data from the household survey shown on p. 11 include those workers and also count persons as employed when they are not at work because of industrial disputes, bad weather, etc., even if they are not paid for the time off. In the series shown here, persons who work at more than one job are counted each time they appear on a payroll, in contrast to the series shown on p. 11 where persons are counted only once—as employed, unemployed, or not in the labor force. See *Employment and Earnings* for details.

<sup>2</sup> Includes natural resources and mining, not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> Includes wholesale trade, transportation and warehousing, and utilities, not shown separately.

NOTE.—Data classified by industry based on the 2007 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). For details see *Employment and Earnings*.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.